Placing and maintaining your clients in jobs and training is important. Metro is working with social service, community service, housing authorities to provide transportation services for low-income and welfare populations transitioning into the workforce.

Metro can help you solve transportation challenges facing your clients through the Jobs Access Program. Metro is interested in innovative partnership arrangements with agencies to address barriers that regular public transportation can not. Metro Programs and Jobs Access Transportation solutions that may benefit them:

- Jobs Access Community Vans Metro will lease a van for \$300 a month to provide your clients with transportation for commuting, shift work, childcare or training if the van includes workers from low-income backgrounds. Better yet, Metro will pay for 50% of the lease and expenses such as insurance, fuel and maintenance.
- Job Access Vans Program Metro partners with the WorkForce Development Council, the Department of Social and Health





Services, Employment Security Department, King County Jobs Initiative, Seattle Jobs Initiative in an agreement with Neighborhood House to provide van trips to clients of those agencies.

- Job Access Funding Partnership You may own your own vehicle or lease a vehicle from another agency. If that vehicle is used to transport your clients to jobs, training for your employment site, Metro will reimburse you 50% of the costs.
- Explore Vanpooling and Carpooling -If you want to explore vanpooling or carpooling potential for your clients, Metro provides RideshareOnline.com
- VanShare Program Do your clients need a vehicle for shift work or to get to your office park or from their home to meet a bus trip? Try the VanShare Program. Metro operates a rideshare program that stages vans at transit centers, park and ride lots, or ferry terminals for use by groups of commuters as a link from the transportation hub to their work site. The cost is \$50 a month per van plus fuel.

- Travel Training Do your case managers want to know about transit and rideshare services? Metro will provide travel training for groups of casemanagers who need travel training to help their clients understand the system. The training is free.
- Other Transportation Solutions -Metro has several other transportation solutions that help your clients get to work, training or childcare. These include guaranteed ride home, travel training, Flexpasses and Flexcar. Additionally, Metro works with KCJI and other agencies to provide clients with bus vouchers or tickets. Metro is committed to partnering with community agencies to provide low-cost, efficient and reliable public transportation.

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